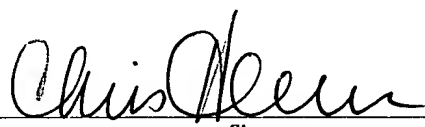



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Application No. 09/512,425	Filing Date Feb. 24, 2000	Examiner Harish T. Dass	Customer No. 29175	Group Art Unit 3628	Confirmation No. 5567	
Invention: ELECTRONIC MONEY SYSTEM, ELECTRONIC MONEY TERMINAL DEVICE, AND INFORMATION CARD						
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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed November 4, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.